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SYSTEM IN WHICH COMPRESSED IMAGE
DATA IS TRANSMITTED FROM A
TRANSMISSION-SIDE APPARATUS TO A
RECEPTION-SIDE APPARATUS

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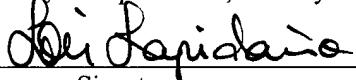
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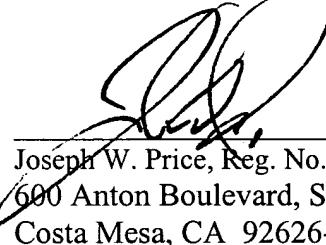


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